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Bishops Lydeard Church School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people.

Respect

Endurance

Friendship

15th June 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Current Whole School Attendance – 94.73%



School fete success

A massive thank you to the BLSA for organising and running the fete last Saturday and to all the staff, children and parents who helped out on the day. We raised a fantastic £2800 with more money still coming in.

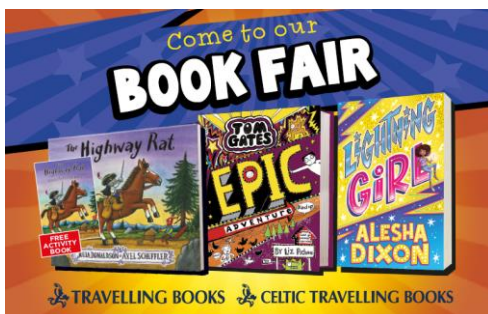
Pilgrim Day, Monday 18th June

Reminder: Year 6 pupils need to be in school for 7.50am on Monday morning in school uniform with a packed lunch and plenty to drink. The coach leaves for Wells at 8am!

Open classrooms

Thursday 21st June

Please pop into class so your child can share their learning with you. Classrooms will be open from 2:45 onwards and Edwards & Ward will be in the hall offering tasters of their new lunch menu.



Travelling book fair

Look out for more details coming soon of the travelling book fair arriving in school at the end of the month with new books to browse and buy and 3 for 2 offers.

Save the date

Years 5 and 6 will be doing an end of year performance of *Archie Dobson's War* on Wednesday 11th July at 6pm and Thursday 12th July at 2pm.

Saxon Villages

Owl Class have enjoyed a DT morning creating Saxon Villages. We used paint to do the background, real twigs and sticks for the palisade, and a mixture of lollipop sticks and matchsticks for the houses. They are a complete success and the children have been buzzing all day.



PANTS

Over the coming weeks each class will be discussing the NSPCC's PANTS rules. The NSPCC have developed the rules to be like a Green Cross code for staying safe from abuse. Lessons will be delivered in a way that is fully age-appropriate and empowers pupils without using any frightening words. More information can be found at www.nspcc.org.uk/pants

Class Attendance Cup

This week Fox class won the attendance cup with 96.9% attendance and were rewarded with an extra session on the trim trail.

Bishops Lydeard Pre-School Quiz, Saturday 23rd June

You are invited to another fun-filled evening raising funds for Bishops Lydeard Preschool at the Quantock Brewery, Saturday 23rd June, 7.30pm. £3/head, 6 people to a team. Tables book fast so reserve your space on the Preschool Facebook page or call 432676.

Gold Book

Ladybird

Hedgehog

Ciara-Leigh for writing a sentence independently. Joe for adding together different numbers of fish.

John for writing not one, but two very descriptive WANTED posters for a pirate. Freya for her descriptive WANTED poster stating that greedy Shark Tooth Sophie had loads of money, gold and chocolate! Xanthe for her use of mathematical language to describe the different sizes of objects.

Rabbit

Ezel for focus and enthusiasm during a KS1 art session. His Lego version of the Mexican flag was very inspiring. The whole of Rabbit class for excellent behaviour and participation in the multi-skills activity morning at Kingsmead this morning.

Fox

Max and Bella have exhibited a growth mindset in Maths this week, showing an excellent endurance in tackling the 'Cold task' on statistics. Henry has shown an impressive knowledge of what he has read in 'ERIC time' and made some excellent connections with what we have been learning in our science lessons. Max for contributing his thoughts and ideas confidently during Mrs Park's art of the moment assembly.

Owl

Poppy has been challenging herself to complete higher level maths and literacy tasks. She has been successful in these. Sophie for resilience and including children in activities. In her Saxon village activity she offered to help others and volunteered to be a partner.

Dragonfly

Anna, Summer, Gracie, Wilf for taking an extra SATs paper in their stride and still being cheerful! Will for great work in science - especially working out averages. Anna, Florence, Ruhi and Shelley for being great representatives of our school at the Kingsmead Maths Challenge. Poppy for impressive writing and for painting the large outdoor blackboard in Ladybird Class, the children are now using it to practice their handwriting.

Diary Dates

June

21 st	Open classrooms
21 st	Edwards & Ward lunch menu tasting after school
22 nd	Summer disco
28 th	Blue bags collection
29 th	BLSA meeting

July

4 th	Moving up day
10 th	Sports Day
11 th	Archie Dobson's War performance, 6pm
12 th	Archie Dobson's War performance, 2pm



Dates for
the Diary: